UAA School of Justice offers summer class

The School of Justice at the University of Alaska-Anchorage will again offer an intensive summer program for Alaska Natives and other minorities interested in pursuing careers in the justice system.

The course, which will run June 1 to June 29, will introduce students to the variety of career possibilities in law, corrections, the court system and police work. The program is designed particularly for Alaska Natives and other minorities who have completed some college-level study, but it is open



to all seeking a practically oriented perspective on the justice field.

During the first part of the monthlong program, students will receive an introduction to justice study, with a special emphasis on constitutional law. These classes will incorporate an emphasis on developing verbal and analytic skills necessary for entrance to the justice system.

Students will receive opportunities to further their understanding of the daily functioning of the justice system through field observations at selected court, police and correctional agencies.

During the second part of the program, students will serve as interns in justice-related offices. Each student will accompany and help a member of the court, corrections, police or legal systems perform his or her daily routine. These internships are designed to foster a realistic appreciation of the demands of actual justice system jobs.

Throughout the program, students will attend a series of guest lectures given by prominent members of justice professions. There will be regular examinations and writing assignments. The course will provide three credits.

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